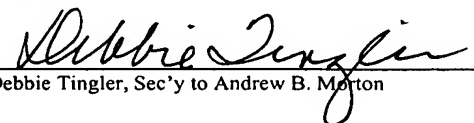


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Enclosed are the following documents:

Request for Filing Continuation Application 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) (in duplicate)

Preliminary Amendment

Specification (7 pages, Claims - 4 pages, and Abstract - 1 page)

Five (5) Sheets of Drawings

Copy of Declaration and Power of Attorney as Originally Filed

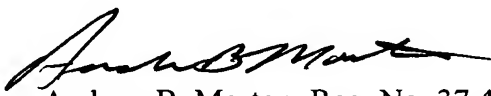
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This is a request for filing a continuation application under 37 CFR §1.53(b), of pending prior application Serial No. 10/290,724 filed on November 8, 2002 for "Brush and Bearing Holder for a Fan/Motor."

- X 1. Enclosed is a specification and drawings as filed in the pending prior application. Also enclosed is a Preliminary Amendment which sets out the priority claims, makes clarifying amendments to the prosecution, and adds new claims for examination. Also enclosed is a copy of the signed Declaration and Power of Attorney of the pending prior application.
2. Small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 was filed in the prior application and such status is still proper and desired.

- X 3. The filing fee is calculated below:

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- X 5. A check in the amount of \$770.00 is enclosed.
- X 6. The prior application is assigned of record to Ametek, Inc.
- X 7. The power of attorney in the prior application is to: Phillip L. Kenner (Reg. No. 22,353); Edward G. Greive (Reg. No. 24,726); Donald J. Bobak (Reg. No. 27,182); Ray L. Weber (Reg. No. 26,519); Joseph G. Curatolo (Reg. No. 28,837); Rodney L. Skoglund (Reg. No. 36,010); Andrew B. Morton (37,400); Arthur M. Reginelli (40,139); Shannon V. McCue (Reg. No. 42,859); Salvatore A. Sidoti (Reg. No. 43,921); John J. Cunniff (Reg. No. 42,451); Mark L. Weber (Reg. No. 46,069); James E. Oehlenschlaeger (Reg. No. 50,164); and Tama L. Drenski (Reg. No. 50,323)

- X a. The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
- b. Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
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- X 8. A preliminary amendment is enclosed.

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